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## Wishing You All A Merry Christmas.



*Make it more so by  
buying goods at our Sale  
and Saving Money.*

**CECIL GOWER**

The Men's Store

Coleman.

## CHRISTMAS —1918—

We take this opportunity of wishing our customers one and all a real good Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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at which our entire stock will be at your disposal. We have real seasonable and sensible gifts for one and all. Call and see us and we will be sure to please you.

**We are giving out our Almanacs on Saturday and Monday. Call and get yours.**

**DRY GOODS, SHOES, GENT'S FURNISHINGS  
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Pears, Figs,  
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J. B. STEWART

MANAGER

### Masquerade Ball Scores Big Success.

The masquerade ball, under auspices of the Pythian Sisters, proved one of the social events of the season. The costumes were numerous and pretty, the attendance was exceptional and the music and floor were excellent. Given all these conditions favorable, and including a brilliant moonlit evening, and there is little wonder that an unusually pleasant evening was enjoyed by those taking part.

Prizes were awarded as follows: Best dressed lady, Miss Annie McDicken; best dressed gentleman, E. Ledieu; best representatives costumes, Miss Wilkinson, Britannia; John Rushton, John Bull; best comic, Mrs. Lulu, T. Thompson. Stokes orchestra supplied the music, which was generally appreciated. The judges were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Liddle, Mrs. J. Emmerson A. Mitchell and Miss. Maggie Corn, and their decisions met with general approval.

### Farewell to Mr. Black And Family

On Monday Evening the 16th December the congregation of the Institutional Church held a social gathering to say farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Black who are leaving for Calgary. There were a number of short addresses, expressing the appreciation of the valuable services rendered during their stay in our midst. The feature of the evening was the presentation of a writing desk, for Mr. and Mrs. Black and a beautiful pendant for May, whose services have been manifold in the congregation. Rev. D. K. Allan presided. Mrs. C. Dunlop made the presentation.

### Institutional Church Christmas Services

Christmas Services will be held at 11 a.m. The children are particularly invited to the morning service. At the evening service at 7 p.m. the choir will sing the anthem "There were Shepherds" and Mr. Wm. Hayson will sing the Solo: "Eternal Rest" by Piccolomini. On Monday evening the Sunday School Xmas tree will be held. The children have a good programme prepared and Santa Claus will pay a visit during the evening.

On board the Olympic there are 16 officers and 324 other ranks for Alberta.

The Standard Bank at Brooklyn, Ont., was robbed. Burglars also visited Orono, and stole three or four thousand dollars' worth of goods from C. G. Armstrong's store.

Improvement to Vancouver's port facilities are embodied in a plan now under way providing for a graving dock and supplemental equipment to cost \$300,000.

C. L. Goody left for China on Tuesday, via Vancouver. He will remain in China until next summer when he expects to return to Coleman. He wishes the Bulletin to say good bye for him to his many friends here.

Following is the result of the poll for Councillors: McDonald, 110; Fraser, 99; Pizer, 97; Davies, 72; Thompson, 70. The first four were elected. There were 15 spoiled ballots in a total of 127 votes polled, and 34 women voted.

### Postponed Tea and Sale of Work.

The first Tea and Sale of work under the auspices of the ladies of the Catholic Church was held on Wednesday afternoon, and evening, December 11th, in the school-room, and proved a success in every way. All the articles on sale were disposed of, and the splendid sum of \$230.00 was realized after paying all expenses in connection with it.

The committee in charge wish to thank all who helped in any way, either by work, donations of cash, or articles for sale, and helped to make it the success it was.

### Italian Society to Hold Grand Celebration

The Italian Society of Coleman are preparing for a monster Victory Celebration to be held on Dec. 31 and Jan 1. An extensive programme is being arranged for both days and a big time is assured. There will be parades, etc. and on New Year's Eve there will be a grand ball in the Opera House, the Fernie orchestra having been secured for the occasion. Posters and programmes are being issued in connection with the Celebration.

### Big Hockey Match For Christmas Day

A hockey match, McGillivray vs. Coleman, is billed for on Christmas Day. While arranged the stakes are placed at \$100 a side, immense amounts are expected to change hands over the result, as the keenest rivalry exists and both teams are confident as to the result. The line up of the teams is a mystery, as both contestants are too wise to the game to give their opponents any advantage by disclosing the personnel of their team, but many old favorites will appear on both sides and a splendid exhibition of the game may be looked for.

The game will start at 2.30 in the afternoon.

### The Cash Grocery Burglarized

Jas. Allan's store was entered on Thursday night of last week the thief getting away with over \$30 in cash and more or less goods including tobacco and cigarettes. While suspicions are entertained as to the identity of the thief no arrests have yet been made by the police.

### Postponed Services St. Alban's Church

On Sunday next, December 22nd Thanksgiving Services (delayed through illness of the Incumbent) will be held. There will be Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Special Evensong at 7 p.m. with anthem and Te Deum.

Xmas Day Wednesday Dec. 25 Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and at 11 a.m. Collections at both services for the Incumbent.

Legislation forestalling the acquisition by purchases of Indian reserve and school lands in Saskatchewan is forestalled in a communication received from Ottawa at the Regina office of the great War Veterans. The land will be used for soldier settlement purposes.

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Best on the Market. A favorite with many.

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Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Grapes, Peas, Etc.

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Coleman.

### SKATING RINK SCHEDULE

SKATING HOURS  
Afternoon, 3.00 to 10.00  
Evening, 8.00 to 10.00  
Hockey practice, 7.00 to 8.00, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.  
SENIOR TICKETS  
Ladies ..... \$3.00  
Gentlemen ..... \$5.00

Children, under 10, one \$3.00, two \$5.00, three ..... 7.00  
Children, under 10, afternoon only ..... 1.50  
Family tickets on application.

GENERAL ADMISSIONS  
Nights, Adults, 25c, Children, 15c.  
Afternoon only, Adults, 25c, Children, 10c.







# UNLOADING SALE

Mild weather and the 'Flu Epidemic has made business rather quiet, and we find ourselves with too much stock and not enough money. To remedy this we are going to take a slap at old "High Cost of Living" for the next few weeks, and cut the prices on our \$18,000 of up-to-date Men's Clothing, Furnishings, Boots and Shoes, and to give the people of Coleman an opportunity to buy their Xmas Gifts at prices of the years gone by. This sale of our Stock starts Friday, December 20th, and ends on Tuesday, January 7th.

## Dress Up For Christmas

### Buy One of These Men's Suits!

Regular	\$22.00,	Sale Price	\$17.50
"	25.00	"	19.50
"	30.00	"	23.00
"	35.00	"	27.00
"	40.00	"	33.00
"	42.50	"	35.00

We have not the space to mention all the goods we are reducing, but come in and look them over.

### Mackinaw Coats.

Regular	\$11.50,	Sale Price	\$ 9.50
"	12.00	"	9.75
"	15.00	"	11.50
"	16.00	"	13.00

### Sweater Coats.

A Large Assortment of Sweaters for.....\$5.00  
All Others Reduced.

## Men's Neckwear

A Suitable Gift For Xmas.

Regular	75 and 85c,	Sale Price	\$ .60
"	\$1.00	"	.75
"	1.25	"	.95
"	1.75	"	1.25
"	2.50	"	1.85

### Men's Lined Dress Gloves

Remember These For Xmas.

Regular	\$2.00,	Sale Price	\$1.65
"	2.25	"	1.85
"	3.00	"	2.35
"	3.50	"	2.75
"	5.00	"	4.00

All Goods Not Listed Will Be Sold for Correspondingly Low Prices.  
This is YOUR Opportunity—Don't Miss It.

## Men's Overcoats

Be Prepared For a Cold Snap!

Regular	\$22.50,	Sale Price	\$17.50
"	25.00	"	19.50
"	28.00	"	21.75
"	30.00	"	23.00
"	33.00	"	26.00
"	35.00	"	27.50

All our Trade Papers say that the cost of goods next year will be higher, buy now while prices are Cut.

### Men's Mufflers

Regular	\$2.00,	Sale Price	\$1.50
"	3.25	"	2.50
"	3.75	"	2.85
"	5.00	"	4.00

### Men's Fine Shirts.

10 Dozen Men's Shirts Selling for.....\$1.15  
All Others Reduced.

### Hartt Shoes

Black and Brown, Button and Lace, all one price

\$7.95

### Men's Fine Shoes

We have about 100 pairs of different lines of Shoes we are clearing up at

\$4.95

### Miner's Shoes

Regular	\$4.50	Sale Price	\$3.85
"	5.75	"	4.95
"	7.25	"	6.15
"	10.00	"	8.50

### Men's Rubbers and Overshoes

Regular	\$1.50,	Sale Price	\$1.25
"	2.25	"	1.85
"	3.00	"	2.35
"	3.85	"	3.25

### Felt Shoes

Regular	\$3.00,	Sale Price	\$2.35
"	3.75	"	3.25

### Men's Socks

Pure Wool Cashmere and Heather Mixture, Wolsey and Jaeger, regular \$1.00, for

75c.

### Men's Silk Socks

Regular Price of these is \$2.00 per pair

Sale Price

\$1.35

### Slater Shoes

Regular \$8.50 to \$9.00

Sale Price

\$6.50

### Trunks

3 Only Trunks, Sizes 34 and 36  
Regular Price \$12.00, Sale Price

\$8.50

### Men's Caps

Regular	\$1.50,	Sale Price	\$1.15
"	2.00	"	1.45
"	2.25	"	1.65
"	2.50	"	1.95

### Heavy Sox

Regular	45c,	Sale Price	\$ .35
"	60c	"	.45
"	\$1.00	"	.75
"	1.25	"	.95

### Heavy Shoes

A Good, Strong Shoe, worth more wholesale, Extra Special

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Men's Heavy Working Goods, Suitable for the Mine or the Bush,  
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\$1.85 the suit.

### Heavy Underwear

Regular	\$1.50,	Sale Price	\$1.15
"	1.75	"	1.35
"	2.40	"	1.90
"	3.25	"	2.90

### Overalls

Blue and White Stripe and plain Blue, Extra Special

\$2.15

### Work Gloves & Mitts

Lined or Unlined—  
Price Cut to the Limit

### Blue Work Pants

\$1.35 the pair.

### Heavy Shirts

Regular	\$2.00,	Sale Price	\$1.50
"	2.50	"	1.95
"	3.00	"	2.35
"	5.00	"	4.15

### Miner's Shoes

60 Pairs Strong Men's Shoes—Extra Special

\$3.25

### Black Work Pants

175 Pairs strong Miner's Pants, are worth today \$2.00 a pair wholesale, Sale Price

\$1.75

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## News of the Week

Items of General Interest Gathered From Many Sources for Bulletin Readers.

Alberta will proceed actively with telephone building during the coming summer according to Hon. C. R. Mitchell.

The coalition government has been returned in Great Britain with a large majority.

Walter C. Findlay, late prohibition commissioner of British Columbia, was fined \$2,000 on pleading guilty to the charge of illegally importing liquor into the province.

The Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries company for the year 1918 has declared a dividend of eight per cent and has hinted that in Saskatchewan at some point they will establish a stockyard and abattoir.

John Lee, probably one of the best-known cowmen in the southwest and hero of Zane Gray's famous novel, "The Riders of the Purple Sage," and another man were found dead in his cabin at Red Lake, San Juan country Utah.

The Quebec section of the labor party of Canada are in sympathy with the Bolsheviks, according to resolutions passed at a Montreal meeting. A little Bolshevik rule in Canada might have the effect of bringing them to their senses.

By hanging himself to the top bar of his cell with a strip of blanket, John Walsh, a life term at the new Westminister penitentiary, committed suicide. Walsh was sent from Fernie where he was sentenced to life imprisonment for murder. A short time ago he became insane and arrangements were made to have him transferred to the medical hospital.

Mail for the Canadian force operating near Archangel, North Russia, is to be forwarded via England and should be addressed according to number, rank, name, unit, etc., to which should be added Canadian Contingent, North Russia Expeditionary Force, Army Post Office, London, England. The rates are: Letters, two (2) cents per ounce plus war tax; newspapers—one (1) cent, per two ounces; for parcel post rates see Page, 101, Postal Guide. Parcels must be sent via England direct.

In bringing the appeal in the case of Scott vs. Harris, the appellate division of the Alberta Supreme Court consisting of the Chief Justice, and Justices Beck and Hyndman, have laid it down as an axiom that: "There is no doubt that if a person, honestly believing in the guilt of another, and desiring only the enforcement of the law, lays a charge without making any inquiry whatever, he is not liable to an action, even though the results of his inquiries would have shown him his mistake."

The strength of the North West Mounted police will be increased to 1,200 men and their jurisdiction will be extended to Manitoba and British Columbia, in addition to Alberta and Saskatchewan. The duties of the force are to be: 1—Enforcement of federal laws. 2—Patrolling and protection of the International boundary line. 3—Enforcement of all orders-in-council passed under the War measures Act for the protection of public safety. 4—Generally to aid and assist the civil police in the preservation of law and order whenever the government of Canada directs.

## Department of Extension University of Alberta

### NEWS NOTES

The work of the Department of Extension, which has been practically at a standstill during the epidemic, is with the removal of the ban from public meetings and the use of public libraries, again in full swing. Thirty five travelling libraries have been sent out this week as well as a large number of volumes from the Open shelf applied for during the closed period.

Now that the period of reconstruction is actually with us, it is incumbent upon every citizen to be acquainted with the problems that confront us and the call for solution, not in the remote future, but in the immediate present. These problems have been occupying the minds of some of our best thinkers for some years past, and the results of their thinking have been set down in book and pamphlet form for all who will to profit by them. Some of these books and pamphlets are now on the shelves of the Extension Library and are available on application. More are being added.

A few of the titles are:  
Industrial Reconstruction by Hunt, by Carter.

The Foundations of National property, studies in the Conservation of permanent national resources, by Richard T. Eby, and others.

In a Day of Social Rebuilding, by H. S. Coffin.  
Labour and the New Social Order; a Report on Reconstruction, by the Sub-Committee of the British Labour Party. (pamphlet)

Co-Partnership versus Labour Unrest, by Neville Priestly. (pamphlet)  
The Psychology of Social Reconstruction, by Prof. G. T. W. Partick. (pamphlet)

A catalogue may be secured by writing to the Department of Extension, University of Alberta.

## Golfers Hie to Pacific

### COAST-Swat Pill

### On Green Grasses

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That's what they're doing out in Vancouver and Victoria this winter. Scores of enthusiasts are spending, or are about to spend, delightful weeks and months out there on the courses.

Shaughnessy Heights (Vancouver Hotel) guests have privilege on payment of green fees) Jericho Country and Vancouver Golf and Country Club are at your service in Vancouver. In Victoria, the Victoria Oak Bay and Colwood Golf and Country Clubs invite you. The magnificent Hotel Vancouver in that city, and Empress Hotel at Victoria, provide comfortable luxurious accommodations.

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## Not Too Badly Off

British Nation Was Never Better Fed

The fact that there are 52,000 tons of frozen meat and 1,000 tons of butter at present in storage in Australia for lack of transport, occupies such a small paragraph in the papers that we are liable to overlook it. Much as Great Britain would like that meat and butter, the millions of tons of shipping now at the bottom of the sea will not help to bring it to our shores. It takes the ships now left most of their time to transport troops to France, with their equipment, to push back the German hordes. Nevertheless, as a matter of fact, taken on the whole, the British nation is feeding better today than it ever did before. Ten per cent, who were eating too much are eating less, but the 90 per cent, who were before eating too little are eating more.

Minard's Lintment Cures Garget in Cows.

## Glass Hair Now

Artificial and substitute hair is being made in Germany, according to information filtered by commerce reports which say:

The importation of human hair from China has long been stopped. The material which is being used is really a substitute for silk.

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## An Ancient Weapon

Cannon Dating From the Year 1547  
Captured by the British at Bagdad

Rajim-I-Jan-Rumiya is inscribed on the old Persian gun which, at the request of King George V., now stands in the Horse Guards' Park for inspection by the public. It was captured by the British on their entry into Bagdad, and was sent by Sir Stanley Maude and the British expeditionary force under his command as a gift to the king. The gun dates from the year 1547, and was made by the Shah of Persia, Ismail II, to wage war with against the Turks, who were giving support to his rebellious brother. Part of the gun's inscription states that "The Commander of Victory and Help, the Shah, desiring to blot out all trace of the Turks, ordered Djeiz to make this gun." The inscription goes on to describe the capacity of the gun for "spitting out fire like a dragon." Rajim-I-Jan-Rumiya is a chronogram for the year of the Hégira 954, which is A.D. 1547, the date the gun was made for war against the Turk.—Christian Science Monitor.

## Prairie Provinces'

## Butter Production

More Than Two and a Quarter Million Pounds Produced in Three Provinces

By a recent order of the Dominion government requisitioning all the creamery butter produced in Canada during the period from September 30 to November 9 to supply the needs of the allied nations in Europe, attention is drawn to the importance of the output of butter from the prairie provinces. It is estimated that 650,000 pounds of creamery butter will be produced in Manitoba during this period, while in Northern Alberta alone half a million pounds will be manufactured. If another half million pounds is added for Southern Alberta and the quarters of a million pounds for Saskatchewan—and these figures might easily be short of the mark—more than two and a quarter million pounds of creamery butter will be produced in the three provinces in the six weeks' period. The dairy industry in Western Canada is growing in importance month after month and year after year.

A Remedy for Bilious Headache.—To those subject to bilious headache, Farmacia's vegetable pills are recommended. Taken according to directions they will subdue irregularities of the stomach and so act upon the nerves and blood vessels that the pains in the head will cease. There are few who are not at sometime subject to biliousness, and it is a familiar and a tedious ailment. Yet one need suffer with these pills at hand.

## Some Successful

## Irrigated Crops

Remarkable Growth as a Result of Irrigation in Southern Alberta

The crops that can be grown successfully with irrigation in Southern Alberta are many and various, and the development of them will materially increase the prosperity of the province. Experience is showing that in addition to wheat and other grains, which are now from the bulk of the crop grown with irrigation, many other crops that are equally, if not more remunerative to the grower can be raised successfully. Alfalfa is the chief of these. This is one of the most important crops of the province, and many farmers have sold their hay this year at prices which amount to twice as much as they have for their land, and also twice as much as what similar land can be bought at the present time. Other fodder crops, such as clover, vetches, timothy grass, give reasonable yields on these lands.

One of the most successful crops grown at Brooks, Alberta, this year was peas. At the government experimental farm there the yield was approximately forty bushels to the acre, and as they will bring about six or seven dollars a bushel, it is easily seen that anybody who had a few acres of them would be financially better off. At Lethbridge, tomatoes grown on two acres of irrigated land in July and August were sold for \$3,000, and the plants were still yielding well in September. Crops of potatoes yielded 400 to 700 bushels to the acre have been taken off irrigated land in Southern Alberta. Sugar beets, too, are a successful crop, but the labor is not available to handle them at the present time. All kinds of garden produce, including cantaloupes, water melons, pumpkins, cucumbers, peppers, cauliflowers, cabbage and other kinds of vegetables too numerous to mention, together with strawberries, raspberries, gooseberries and other fruits are grown and with equal success. The close proximity of much of this irrigated land to the railway will lead to its being more intensively farmed than it has been, many crops that have hitherto been grown only on a comparatively small scale will now be produced in greater quantities.

The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm Expeller puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggist's.

## —Faces and Beards

The first Tommy was ruddy of countenance, with a huge beard of the hue politely known as auburn. "The second was smooth-shaven," the user have a beard like that I saw myself in the glass. Then I cut it off.

But the bearded man was not dismayed. "Much better 'ave left it on, mate. I 'ave had a face like yours till I saw it in a glass. The third was this beard."—Everybody's Magazine.

## CASCARA

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Quickly soothe and heal eczemas, rashes, itchings and burnings of the skin.

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Silence Is Golden

"I understand you have several speeches ready for delivery," "Yes," answered Senator Sorghum. "They are ready for delivery, but they remain uncalled for."—Washington Star.

Miller's Worm Powders will drive worms from the system without injury to the child. The powders are so easy to take that the most delicate stomach can assimilate them and will, because they promptly kill the worms, cause the pain, and thus the suffering of the child is relieved. With scattering remedy at hand no child should suffer an hour from worms.

## Immigration from the United States

During the week ending September 18 there entered Vancouver, Canada from the United States 219 persons with cash \$4,497 and effects \$44,700, as compared with 375 persons with cash \$9,825 and effects \$22,315 in 1917. Their nationalities were: British, 5; Canadian, 48; American, 153; French, 4; Scandinavian, 3; Russian, 4; others, 2. Their occupations were: 6 farmers, 29 farm laborers, 4 laborers, 3 mechanics, 4 clerks, 3 domestics, 24 women and children, and 15 unclassified. They were destined as follows: 8 for Ontario, 58 Manitoba, 67 Saskatchewan, Alberta, 43, British Columbia 3.

This daylight saving scheme is thought on the part of young fellows who goes courting.  
—How so?  
He hasn't the nerve to drop around until it gets dark and then it's time to go home.

Straw Distillation  
Plant for Saskatchewan

Gas Derived From Straw Can Be Used Successfully

"The possibilities of straw for the purpose of furnishing heating, lighting, cooking and motive power have recently been the subject of considerable investigation in Saskatchewan, where approximately twenty million tons of straw are grown annually to waste. Recent demonstrations at Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, have shown that the gas derived from straw can be used successfully for the propelling of motor cars, tractors, stationary engines and the like. The process of obtaining the gas, and the manner in which it may be used were fully demonstrated at a chemical exhibition at New York recently. It is now intended by the Dominion government to establish a small plant near Saskatoon this winter for the purpose of further experimentation, the result of which may lead to plants being installed on almost every farm in the country, effecting a considerable saving to farmers. With the installation of a \$500 plant it is claimed to be possible to produce in an hour and a half enough gas to last an ordinary farm house three weeks.

## The Charm of a Rabbit Foot

An explanation of the marvellous and mysterious properties of the rabbit foot as a good luck piece is to be found in the fact that witchcraft regarded the rabbit as a particularly mystical animal. The favorite disguise of the witches of old was to take the form of a rabbit—close second was the cat—and records again and again show convictions and execution of women for the fearful crime of changing themselves into rabbits. A rabbit foot was a potent charm against the evil spells of the witchcraft.

## How's This?

"We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for each Cat that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH CURE. HALL'S Catarrh Cure has been taken by cat owners for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for the disease. HALL'S Catarrh Cure acts through the blood on the mucous membrane, expelling the poison from the blood and healing the diseased portion. All you have taken HALL'S Catarrh Cure for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking HALL'S CATARRH CURE at once. Sold by all druggists, 75c.

## Restful

Splendid is always thinking of himself. Yes, in that way he avoids having much on his mind.

## Minard's Lintment Cures Distemper.

A Newer Dance  
The German waltz to have abandoned the goose step for the Foch trot.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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QUICKLY RELIEVED

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## MONEY ORDERS

A Dominion Express Money Order for five dollars costs three cents.

## When It Struck Home

One German caught by a soldier behind a wall put up his hands and started "Kamerading," fully expecting to be killed. When he had been told he offered to carry in the wounded. While doing this German sniper saw him and shot at him and a soldier he was helping, and slightly wounded the German. This so angered him that he took a captured German machine gun and fired on the positions of the two German snipers, which he knew, and brought them down from the trees.

## The Brute

"Her husband infuriates her." "Gets mad when she starts an argument." "Now, He just yawns."—Vancouver Province.

"If I Could Only Be Strong and Healthy  
Like Other Girls."

THIS is the longing of the girl who is pale, weak and anemic.

She is lacking in energy and strength, and is so easily tired out that she does not feel like taking outdoor exercise or joining others in social gatherings.

The healthy, happy outdoor girls get in the way of leaving her to herself, and she gets lonely, discouraged and dependent.

The source of trouble is in the condition of the blood, which has become thin and watery, and utterly lacking in nutritive qualities.

The anemic condition is shown in the pallor of the lips, the gums and the eyelids, as well as in the pale face and angular form.

Nature has provided for the purifying of the blood by having it sent to the lungs periodically to come in contact with the fresh air and take up new oxygen.

Unfortunately this plan of nature has been defeated by human beings living too much indoors and breathing over and over again the vitiated air of ill-ventilated rooms. This is the usual cause of anemia, as well as a reason for its continuation.

The blood gets ever thinner and more watery, until the human system is literally starved.

The digestive system has failed, and your health must go naturally downhill until you can find some means of restoration.

Fortunately, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food furnishes the vital substances needed for regenerating the entire organism when in a run-down condition.

Gradually and certainly the building-up process is established, and the pure, rich blood created in the system carries health and strength to every part of the body.

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The rosy cheeks and healthful appearance of people who have used Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is its strongest recommendation, and accounts for its ever-increasing popularity.

It is for sale by all dealers, 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50, or by mail from Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Look for the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author, on the box you buy.







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### Clocks

- Fancy Mantle Clocks, from \$7.50 to \$14.50.
- Bedroom Clocks in Ivory, Gilt and Mahogany, \$4 to \$7.00.

### Toilet Articles

- Toilet Cases, French Ivory, from.....\$13.00
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- Powder Boxes, from.....1.00
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### Silverware

- Butter Dishes, from.....2.00
- Casserole, from.....5.00
- Cake Dishes, from.....5.00
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- Marmalade Dishes, from.....2.50
- Napkin Rings, from.....1.00
- Sugar and Cream, from.....4.00
- Small Cruets, from.....2.00
- Bread Dishes, from.....3.00
- Pepper and Salt, from.....1.00
- Bon Bon Dishes, from.....2.00

### Community Silver

- Pie Knives, Berry Spoons, Gravy Ladles, Sugar  
Spoons, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Cold Meat  
Forks, Baby Spoons, Knives and Forks, Tea Spoons,  
Table Spoons, Dessert Spoons, Coffee Spoons, etc.

Community Silver Chests from \$13 to \$35.

### Cut Glass

- Bon Bon Dishes, from.....\$ 2.00
- Berry Sets, from.....15.00
- Water Sets, from.....10.00
- Sugar and Cream, from.....4.00
- Celery Trays, from.....5.00
- Vases, from.....5.00
- Butter Dishes, from.....5.00
- Spoon Trays, from.....4.00

### Brooches, Etc.

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### Local and General.

Mrs. Nicklin, of Squamish, B. C., is in Coleman, spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Disney after an absence of eight years.

The Christmas edition of the War Cry has been circulated by the local officer during the week. It is profusely illustrated and is in every way a credit to the publishers.

Charles Nicholas has rented the building adjoining the Coleman Hotel formerly occupied by A. M. Morrison and will move his stock there at once. Mr. Morrison is occupying Room 1 in the hotel as an office.

W. S. Black, B. A., for five years past principal of the Coleman school, left with his family for Calgary on Tuesday night, where they will reside in future. While in Coleman they made many friends who will regret their departure. All will join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Black prosperity in their new home.

Due to the influenza epidemic, Methodist missionary receipts of last week fell \$30,000 below the same date last year. Meanwhile, this year's appropriations involve an increased expenditure approaching \$200,000.

The cost of living branch of the labor department, after an investigation into the price being charged by manufacturers of soda biscuits, has come to the decision that fifteen cents a pound in bulk lots is a reasonable charge for this commodity.

The cost of living branch of the 1st permanent housing scheme, a committee of the cabinet has been appointed to be known as the housing committee. It will consist of Hon. N. W. Rowell, president of the privy council, Senator Robertson, minister of labor; Hon. A. K. McLean, vice-chairman of reconstruction, and Hon. T. A. Cretar, minister of agriculture. Mr. Rowell will be chairman of the committee.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels states that the United States lost 44 vessels during the war. Fifteen of these were fighting ships of which four were lost by submarine or mine and eleven by collision. Most of them were small craft. There were 151 American merchant vessels sunk between August, 1914, and the signing of the armistice of which 131 were victims of submarines.

In order to do away with the stigma that it is thought in connection with the name "pool rooms" members of the Provincial Pool Room Keepers' Association are asking the Alberta Government to have the name of the act changed at the next session to "Billiard Room Act." It is the idea of the men of this association that there is usually gambling, etc., connected with the name pool room and they wish to get away from all this.

The December issue of Rod and Gun from its first page to its last is replete with articles of interest to the sportsman and lover of the out of doors. Stories, articles, special departments are good of their kind and the magazine is well illustrated throughout. "Birdland Reflections from an old Camera" by Bonnycastle Dale; "The Open Places" by R. J. Fraser; "Saw-bound Hills" by H. C. Haddon; "How Christmas comes in the Northland" by Harry Leung; "A December Afternoon with Buster" by Reginald Gourlay are some of the stories, while an article on the making of skis fully illustrated, Fishing Notes including an article on "Facts about Cotton Threading" and Guns and ammunition with more dope for the gun crank, and material of interest to the trapper, are some of the other features. Rod and Gun is published by W. J. Taylor Limited, Woodstock, Ont.

# Only Three More Shopping Days Before Christmas--Get Busy

Perhaps this list may help you:

### Gifts For Women

- Slippers  
High laced boots  
Hockey boots  
Silk scarfs  
Cap and scarf (wool)  
Sweater and Cap  
Crepe de chene Waist  
Georgette Waist  
Voile or Lawn Waist  
Box of handkerchiefs  
Linen Table Cover  
Gloves  
Dozen Table Napkins  
Piece of China  
Piece of Silverware  
Dinner Set (97) pieces  
Box of Chocolates  
Boudoir Cap  
Silk Cap  
Hand Bag  
Camisoles  
Dresser scarf  
Cushion Tops  
Fancy Underskirts  
Corsets  
Silk (Dress length)

### Gifts for Men

- Smoking Jacket  
Slippers  
Dozen pair, fine Socks  
Sweater  
Neck-Tie  
Arm Bands  
Suspenders  
Invictus Shoes  
Cap  
Fancy Vest  
Cigarettes  
Tobacco  
Suit-Case  
Deer Skin Moccasins  
Cuff Buttons  
Over Shoes  
Toilet Set  
Handkerchiefs  
Neck-Scarfs  
Fur Lined Gloves  
Mocha Gloves  
Felt Boots  
Mackinaw Coats

### Gifts for Girls

- Sweater Coats  
Toques  
Cap and Scarf  
Hockey shoes  
Perfumed Beads  
Felt shoes  
Felt Slippers  
Handkerchiefs  
Bottle Perfume  
Lined Kid Gloves  
Wool Mitts  
High Top Felt Boots

### Gifts for Boys

- Hockey Boots  
Leather Mitts and Gloves  
Felt Shoes  
Felt Slippers  
Braces  
Mouth Organs  
Toques  
Windsor Ties  
Builders

### Gifts for Kiddies

- Wool Jackets  
Bonnets  
Quilted Comforters  
Mitts  
Leggings  
Sweater Coats  
Shoes

- Hose Red, White or Black  
Bear Skin Coats  
Dolls  
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A new preparation excellent for feeding milking cows. Try it.

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